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(U) CALIFORNIA

(U) Fairfield—Lockdown Lifted at Travis Air Force Base after 'Real World Incident'

(U) Officials at Travis Air Force Base in Fairfield lifted a lockdown yesterday afternoon after responding to reports of gunshots but finding no shooter, authorities said. Emergency personnel at the base ordered the base locked down around 3:30 p.m. in response to reported gunshots at the base exchange, officials said. Officials at the base had warned people to lock their doors and windows and shelter in place in response to "a real world security incident." The lockdown was lifted shortly after 5 p.m. SOURCE: 14 June 2017, SFGate

(U) San Francisco—Three People, Gunman Dead in Shooting at UPS Facility

(U) Three people were killed and two wounded yesterday morning when a gunman opened fire at a UPS facility on San Francisco's Potrero Hill neighborhood, according to police. The gunman, Jimmy Lam, then took his own life. A UPS spokesman confirmed Lam, 38, was a company employee, and a Teamsters Union official stated that Lam filed a grievance in March complaining of too much overtime. Witnesses state that Lam appeared to specifically target the victims, although police have yet to determine a motive. The investigation is ongoing.

SOURCE: 14 June 2017, CBS News and Associated Press

(U) NATIONAL

(U) Georgia—Prison Bus Escapees Steal Second Vehicle as Manhunt Continues

(U) Morgan County—The two escaped inmates who the authorities say killed two Georgia prison guards stole a second vehicle overnight as they began their second day on the run, officials said yesterday. The inmates, Donnie R. Rowe and Ricky Dubose, commandeered a white 2008 Ford truck from a rock quarry sometime between 6 p.m. Tuesday, when the business closed, and 6 a.m. Wednesday when it reopened. The reward for information leading to the inmates' arrest grew to \$90,000 yesterday afternoon, with local news media reporting that it had later been raised to \$115,000. SOURCE: 14 June 2017, New York Times

(U) South Carolina—Possible 'Dirty Bomb' on Docked Ship Prompts Evacuation of Terminal

(U) Mount Pleasant—Federal and state authorities investigated the possibility there was a "dirty bomb" on a ship at a shipping terminal, but later gave the all-clear, according to local news media. A Coast Guard statement says authorities were made aware at 8 p.m. last night of a potential threat in a container aboard the vessel Maersk Memphis, and a one nautical mile 'safety zone' was established around the vessel. The FBI, Charleston County Sheriff's Office, Hazmat and EMS crews were also onscene to assist with the investigation. The reporting source was detained for further questioning. SOURCE: 15 June 2017, CBS News

(U) Washington—Microsoft Patches Critical Vulnerabilities Exploited by Stolen NSA Tools

(U) Redmond—Microsoft released new security updates earlier this week for older versions of Windows as it warns of potential cyber-attacks by government organizations. The patches include updates to

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Windows XP, the operating system that was targeted by the WannaCry ransomware attack in May that attacked companies worldwide. Typically, Microsoft only issues updates for its operating systems that are still supported, but in the wake of the WannaCry outbreak—which saw a ransomware worm take advantage of un-patched versions of windows to encrypt millions of computers worldwide—Microsoft is reassessing that policy. The new patches fix 16 vulnerabilities, of which 15 are ranked by Microsoft as critical.

SOURCE: 14 June 2017, The Guardian

(U) INTERNATIONAL

(U) Somalia—Al-Shabaab Kills 31 and Takes Hostages in Capital

(U) Mogadishu—Militants began an assault in the capital, Mogadishu, yesterday evening with a car bombing at the gates of a hotel popular with foreigners, and continued with gunfire at a nearby restaurant. News media put the death toll at 31, citing local officials and the emergency services, an increase from an earlier estimate of 18 people. On their website, al-Shabaab took responsibility for the violence, which started at the Posh Hotel in central Mogadishu. Special forces troops since rescued more than 50 hostages, but it is not known how many hostages remain.

SOURCE: 14 June 2017, New York Times

(U) Syria—ISIS Drones are Attacking US Troops and Disrupting Airstrikes in Raqqa, Officials Say

(U) Raqqa—ISIS drones are attacking US Special Operations forces located around the group's de-facto capital of Raqqa in Syria, US officials and Syrian fighters said, sometimes disrupting the ability of American troops to call in airstrikes. The Pentagon, in response, is looking to send additional anti-drone equipment and troops into Syria, according to one official. There have been no reported casualties from the drones as of yet, but the attacks have hindered advances by the Syrian Democratic Forces, who the Americans have been working alongside.

SOURCE: 14 June 2017, Washington Post

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